The Mission of the Lawton Parks and Recreation Department is to provide diverse year-round leisure opportunities through the preservation of open space, park settings, recreational facilities and programs for the citizens of Lawton.

Citizen's Academy 5:30-7:30 McMahon Memorial Auditorium

5:30: Arrival/Participants Seated

5:35: Introductions/Welcome to McMahon Auditorium/Parks and Recreation/Overview of Evening -Arts & Humanities Administrator, Jason Poudrier

5:35: 60th Anniversary McMahon Auditorium Video (2016)

5:45: Parks and Rec Overview/Divisions

Former Parks and Recreation Department Director Video-Jack Hanna (2019)

PowerPoint: Presentation and Discussion

6:05: Parks and Rec Master Plan Overview (Kaley/Jason)

PowerPoint: Presentation and Discussion

6:20: Load Buss to Travel Through Elmer Thomas Park to Patterson Community Centner

6:20-6:30: Travel

6:30: Patterson Center, Walk Through and Discussion of Community Recreation Centers

7:00: Load Buss to Return to McMahon Memorial Auditorium

7:10: Return to Auditorium, Pass by Shepler Square Park (South side of Gore, between 4th and 5th) Park, Gore Median Park, and Thirty Fifth Division Park (Between 5th and 6th, Dearborn, and Columbia)

7:20-7:30: Naturalization Ceremony Setup, MMA Lobby

7:30: Farewell

7:30: Optional Bonus: Auditorium Tour